

For the prevention and cure of
BILIOUS AND MALIGNANT FEVERS
is recommended
HAHN'S ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS
THIS Medicine has been attended with a degree of success highly gratifying to the inventor's feelings, in several parts of the West Indies and in the Southern and Middle States, &c.

The testimony of a number of persons can be adduced, who have reason to believe that a timely use of this salutary remedy has, under Providence, preserved their lives when in the most alarming circumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak more in favour of a medicine than columns of pompous eulogy founded on mere assertion.

It is not indeed presumptuously proposed as an infallible cure, but the inventor has every possible reason that can result from extensive experience for believing that a dose of these Pills taken once in every two weeks during the prevalence of our bilious fevers, will prove an infallible preventive; and further, that in the earlier stages of those diseases their use will very generally succeed in restoring health, and frequently in cases esteemed desperate and beyond the power of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons in every situation and of every age.

They are excellently adapted to carry off superfluous bile and prevent its morbid secretions—to restore and amend the appetite—to produce free perspiration and thereby prevent colds which are often of fatal consequences. A dose never fails to remove a cold if taken on its first appearance: they are celebrated for removing habitual costiveness—sickness at the stomach and severe head-ache—and ought to be taken by all persons on a change of climate.

They have been found remarkably efficacious in preventing and curing disorders attendant on long voyages, and should be procured and carefully preserved for use by every seaman.

Hamilton's Elixir,

A sovereign remedy for colds, obstinate coughs, asthma, sore throats, catarrhs, and approaching consumptions. To parents who have children afflicted with the HOOPING COUGH, this discovery is of the first magnitude, as it affords immediate relief, checks the progress, and in a short time entirely removes the most cruel disorders to which children are liable. The Elixir is perfectly agreeable, and the dose so small that no difficulty arises in taking it.

Hamilton's Grand Restorative,

Is recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief and permanent cure of Nervous Disorders. Violent cramps in Consumptions, the stomach and back. Loss of appetite Indigestion. Impurity of blood Melancholy. Hysterical affections Gout in the stomach. Inward weaknesses Pains in the limbs and debility Relaxations, etc.

Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard.

A safe and effectual remedy for acute and chronic rheumatism, gout, rheumatic gout, palsy, lumbago, numbness, white swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain in the face and neck, etc. etc.

Lat's Ointment for the Itch.
Warranted an infallible remedy at one application, may be used with perfect safety by pregnant women, or on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

Hahn's true & genuine German Corn Plaster.

An infallible remedy for corns, speedily removing them root and branch, without giving any pain.

The Genuine Persian Lotion.

So celebrated among the fashionable throughout Europe, is an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and safe, free from corrosive and repellent minerals, the basis of other lotions, and of unparalleled efficacy in removing blemishes of the face and skin, freckles, pimples, inflammatory redness, scuris, tetter, ring-worms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c.

Hahn's genuine Eye Water,

A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes, whether the effect of nature weakness or of accident.

Tooth Ache Drops.

The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops.

For the cure of agues, remittent and intermitting fevers.

At the place of sale pamphlets may be had gratis, describing cures performed by the above medicines; the number, importance and respectability of which, fully justify every article of this advertisement.

Sold only wholesale and retail, by JAMES KENNEDY & SON, King-st. Alexandria, September 26.

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For Freight,

The sloop CONSTITUTION, Seguine, master, and sloop ALLIGATOR, Travers, master, burthen 500 hds. each substantial good vessel, will be ready to receive their cargoes in a few days. Freight to New-York, or Norfolk would be preferred. Apply to JOHN G. LADD & Co. November 27.

French Plaster & Burr Stones.
THE cargo of the ship Atlas, Charles Jenison, master, from Havre, of 370 tons plaster 1200 burr stones—for sale by LAWRAZON & FOWLE.

ALSO,
The cargo of the brig Mungo Park, C. Lincoln, master, from Boston, of 17 pipes Sicily Madeira wine, 2 boxes of superior quality 13 sacks fibbers 100 tons plaster

For Freight,
The superior ship ATLAS, Ch. Jenison master, burthen 4400 hds., has performed but one voyage, is in complete order, and can be ready in a few days for the reception of a cargo.

ALSO,
The brig ONLY SON, captain Hathaway, burthen 1500 hds., a good vessel, and take freight on moderate terms.

ALSO,
The brig MUNGO PARK, Charles Lincoln master, burthen 1400 hds. can be ready in a few days to receive a cargo. Apply as above.

French Plaster.
JOHN G. LADD & Co. offer for sale the cargo of the brig Two Brothers, from Havre, of 175 tons Plaster Paris.

For Freight,
The good fast sailing brig TWO BROTHERS, Theodore Curtis master, burthen 190 tons, or 2400 barrels, will be ready to receive cargo in a few days, and will take freight for Europe. Apply as above. Nov. 19

For Freight,
The brig J. NE, A. Davis, master, carries about 1200 barrels, is a good vessel, and can be ready in a few days to receive a cargo, will take as European or coastwise freight on moderate terms. Apply to LAWRAZON & FOWLE.

For Freight,
The ship LYDIA, burthen 465 tons, will carry 5800 hds. of flour, is in complete order, and will be let very low.

For Sale or Charter,
The ship BETSEY, burthen 351 tons, built in Philadelphia, of live oak, copper fastened, and coppered to the bends. The owners of this ship being anxious to sell her, in order to close a concern, she may be had very low, on application to PHINEAS JANNEY.

Who have in store, and offers for sale, A few pipes, hogheads and quarter casks of excellent port wine, imported in 1816.

2 pipes of Madeira wine, said to be of the best quality.

20 serouns Spanish tobacco. 10 bales Russia sheeting, entitled to 4 small cables debenture. Swedish stell in bundles, and a few tons Swedish bar iron and plow plates. 12th month 6 stuhltt.

For Freight,
The ship MARIA, George Fletcher, master; burthen about 3500 barrels; can be in immediate readiness for sea.

ALSO,
The brig SUSAN, James Parsons, master; burthen about 1000 barrels, is a new and excellent vessel, ready for the immediate reception of a cargo, and will take a foreign or coastwise freight on moderate terms. Apply to LAWRAZON & FOWLE.

For New-York,
The staunch new schooner INDEPENDENCE, Henry Ames master, burthen nine hundred barrels, having half of her cargo provided; will sail in three days, and take freight on reasonable terms. Apply to JOHN G. LADD & CO.

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OFFER for sale the cargo of schooner Magnet, afloat—
80,000 Cypress shelling shingles
25 barrels pitch
2 hogheads molasses

Also, received per sloop Susan, 12 casks cheese, of superior quality December 2 Apply as above.

For Norfolk,
The schooner MAGNET, captain Simonton, will sail in a few days, and will take three hundred barrels freight. December 2 Apply as above.

For Norfolk,

The sloop MARY-ANN, has good accommodations and will sail on Monday next—for freight or passage apply to the Captain on board at Miller & Davis's wharf.

W. MASSENURY.

December 6

Salt Afloat.
3000 BUSHELS Ground Alum Salt, for sale, afloat.

JACOB MORGAN.

The schooner CONSTITUTION, captain Travis, 800 barrels burthen, will take freight upon moderate terms for the West Indies or a southern port. Apply as above. Dec. 4—1w.

For Savannah, or N. Orleans,
The superior fast-sailing brig VIRGINIA, A. Blancharc master, will take freight on moderate terms. Apply to WILLIAM GARNER, or NEWTON KEENE.

December 3 6t

Plaster, Beef, Candles, &c.
JOHN G. LADD & Co. offer for sale the cargo of brig Economy, from Boston, viz:

90 tons Plaster Paris
50 barrels No. 1 beef
30 boxes mould candles
500 bushels potatoes

12 dozen nests boxes
8 barrels Muscovado sugar
2 casks seine twine

15 cases men's and boy's coarse shoes, of the best qualities. Dec. 3

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The regular packet brig ECONOMY, captain Hammett. For freight or passage, having the best accommodations, apply to JOHN G. LADD & Co. December 3

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For Boston or any Eastern Port,
The good sloop ALLEGRO, John Welsh, master; burthen 900 barrels, in complete order to receive a cargo and will take freight low. Apply to JOHN G. LADD & Co.

For Freight to any Southern or Eastern Port,
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New-England Rum.
JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received per sloop SALTY, and offer for sale 50 barrels NEW-ENGLAND RUM. November 11.

Bank stock for sale:
Enquire of the P. Inter. October 10

Piano Fortes, &c.
JAMES KENNEDY & SON, HAVE LATELY RECEIVED

A N assortment of fine toned Piano Fortes, both plain & ornamented 1 case of Violins, assorted, from No. 1 to 18

Violin Bows, Bridges, & refined rosin. A quantity of Roman and German Violin Strings, particularly selected

German Flutes; of every size and quality, from one to six keys

Flageolets and Flutes

Clarinet Reeds

Books of instruction & Progressive Lessons, for the above Instruments.

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JOHN G. LADD & Co. offer for sale the cargo of sloop Constitution, of 2,500 bushels Albany Oats, of superior quality. November 24

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Sicily Madeira Wine.

LANDING from the schooner Liberty, captain Beer, 6 pipes Sicily Madeira Wine, of a superior quality.

1 bale Russia Drapers.

For sale by LAWRAZON & FOWLE. October 22

Notice.

THE Subscriber having taken into partnership Mr. Thomas Irwin, Jr. the business in future will be conducted under the firm of CATLETT & IRWIN. All those having claims against me, are requested to present them and receive their money; and all those indebted, are respectfully solicited to make payment with as little delay as possible.

CHARLES I. CATLETT.

For Sale,

157 bales and boxes burlap, tickenburgs, oznaburgs, bessians, creas, platilins, estopillas, britannies, choletts and dowlas

200 boxes consisting of half pint, pint, quart tumblers and decanters

20 boxes elegant cut glass, containing cordial glasses, wines, tumblers, pitchers, plates and dishes

200 boxes window glass, 5 by 10 and 10 by 12

80 chasis hyson and imperial teas

4000 pieces short yellow napkins

2000 do. long yellow do.

167 boxes India China, consisting of dining sets, tea sets, cups and saucers, mint bowls, dining and desert plates, flat and deep

6 pipes, 10 half pipes and 20 quarter pipes very sup. London Particular Madeira Wine, from Gordon, Duff, Ing's & Co.

German steel, very sup. quality, copper pots and tea-kettles, soap, candles, and nails—for sale on reasonable terms.

CATLETT & IRWIN.

October 11

ENGLISH AND GERMAN ALMANACS, for 1818,

Just published and for sale by the gross, dozen or single one.

By JOHN A. STEWART.

Who has on hand,

a large stock of writing and letter paper, pasteboards, slates, blank books, quills, sealing wax, wafers, playing cards, and paper for rooms.

ALSO,

Family and common bibles and testaments, prayer books, psalms and hymn books, with many other established religious works of merit. A general assortment of

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1817.

Virginia Legislature.

RICHMOND, DECEMBER 4.

Yesterday the House of Delegates received and referred a variety of private and local petitions.

Richard E. Parker was elected, by joint ballot, without opposition, judge of the second circuit, to supply the vacancy occasioned by the death of Griffin Stith.

Thomas Hutchie was re-elected public printer without opposition.

In the course of the session Mr. Thewell submitted the following preamble and resolutions, which were referred to a select committee. On motion of Mr. Davis, 300 copies were ordered to be printed.

Whereas, it is declared by the bill of rights and constitution of this commonwealth, that no free government can be preserved to any people but by a firm adherence to justice, moderation, temperance, frugality, and virtue—the people have a right to a *uniform government*—all legislative power shall be vested in the General Assembly, whose members are elected by the people—the legislative, executive and judiciary powers shall be separate and distinct—the governor, with the advice of a council of state, shall exercise the executive powers of the government, according to the laws of the commonwealth, and that he shall, with the advice of the council, have the power of granting reprieves and pardons, except in certain specified cases—the council shall consist of eight members, to be chosen by the General Assembly; and that the advice and proceedings of the governor and council shall be entered of record and laid before the Assembly—and the constitution also provides one common treasury, with one treasurer, who, with the attorney general and auditor, are officers properly appertaining to the executive department of the government—and no appropriation of public money can be made except by laws passed by the Assembly, who meet annually, and who appropriate annually—the House of Delegates, the most numerous branch of the legislature, being annually elected—and the responsibility of the governor and council is well secured by the constitution—he and the other officers are also dependent on the legislature for their appointment and compensation.—Hence, it follows, that the creation, by acts of the Assembly, of subordinate corporations, with a grant of legislative and executive powers co-extensive with the territorial limits and jurisdiction of the commonwealth, hath a tendency to contravene the great constitutional provisions and principles laid down by our forefathers—and this hath inadvertently happened by an honorable, though perhaps over excited zeal, in promoting the internal improvement of our highly favored and beloved country.

There are two corporations of the character just described; one styled "The

president and directors of the board of public works"—the other "The president and directors of the literary fund."

By the act providing a fund for internal improvement, the board of public works

consists of thirteen members—the governor, treasurer, attorney general, and ten

citizens chosen annually from different sections of the state, and to receive such compensation for their services as may be allowed by law, which, until otherwise provided, shall be the same mileage and the same pay per diem during their sessions as is allowed to a member of the General Assembly.

This board possesses and exercise vast and all important powers, rights, trusts and duties—they are charged with the improvement of our principal rivers, by rendering them navigable, uniting by canals, and more intimately connecting, by public highways, the different parts of the commonwealth, and also with other interesting subjects of public improvement.

The fund appropriated to these purposes now amounts to \$1,358,479 56, including principal stock and the productive profits thereof; which will be yearly augmented by a lucrative branch of revenue and future contingent resources of the commonwealth; this fund to be kept distinct and apart from all other public money, subject to the order of the president and directors of the board; the public faith being solemnly pledged to fulfil this appropriation, which shall continue in force for the term of forty-eight years to come; they have the appointment and employment of a principal engineer, a secretary, and as many other officers, as assistants and servants as they may deem proper, who are to receive such compensation as the board may allow, to be paid out of the above fund without any sanction from the General Assembly; this body politic can hold an annual meeting in the city of Richmond, or at any other place designated by law, or at any other place specially appointed by the board; and at their will and pleasure, there may be as many extra meetings as they shall prescribe, and each meeting can be held as long as the discretion of the board

may prompt; they have power to make such rules and laws for their institution, and for the conduct of their officers, agents and servants, as to them may seem expedient; provided the same be not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of this commonwealth, or of the United States. Here it is necessary to remark, that whenever the constitution and laws of the general and state governments are silent, this new body politic can legislate on great subjects which concern the dearest rights and privileges of the people, and which involve the future destinies of the commonwealth; they also fill any vacancy which occurs in their body in the recess of the legislature; the president and directors of this board are authorized to subscribe in behalf of the commonwealth to such public works as the General Assembly may agree to patronize, and the dividends on the stock subscribed by the board go exclusively to other subscribers, until they shall have received a net profit of six per cent. per annum; and they are also empowered to appoint in behalf of the commonwealth a certain number of directors in every public work; and other powers and duties are delegated and assigned to this body politic, as will be seen more at large by a reference to the act of their creation.

The other corporation, existing under the style of the president and directors of the literary fund, is thus constituted: the governor, lieutenant governor, treasurer, attorney general, and president of the court of appeals, for the time being, and their successors, form this body politic.

The fund under their control arises from fines, amercements, penalties, escheats,

confiscations, forfeitures of lands for non-payment of taxes and other forfeitures; also from the undisposed of residuum of personal estates of deceaseds, who die without leaving persons entitled to such residuum according to the law of the land;

from the exclusive privilege of granting lotteries in this commonwealth; and lastly, from an appropriation of a certain portion of the debt due from the U. S. to the commonwealth. The value of this fund now amounts to upwards of one and a half millions of dollars, including the principal and productive profits thereof.

This body politic exercises the following powers and duties, viz.—The appointment of a clerk, agents in each county, and such other officers as they may deem necessary; and it may be here remarked, that as this institution is partially nourished by fines, penalties and forfeitures, many officers and informers may find employment. As already mentioned, it has the exclusive privilege of granting lotteries for certain premiums throughout the state, and the appointment of managers of the lotteries.

This corporate body can invest their monies in public stock and other property, and change and sell the same at pleasure; after the funds shall have become sufficiently productive, they can establish as many schools as they deem necessary in each county; they have powers to enact laws for the regulation of their proceedings and the government of their institution, provided the same be not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of the commonwealth.

Here it may be truly observed, that where the constitution and general laws are silent, this body can exercise a legislative power touching the education and morals of the youth of our country. The faith of the state is also pledged for the perpetuity of the appropriations to the literary fund; and other powers and duties are confided to them, as will more

fully appear by a recurrence to a multiplicity of acts concerning this body politic.

And whereas also, the delegation or transference of general legislative and executive powers to corporations, which can only be punished by dissolution or disfranchisement, may lead to consequences the most serious & calamitous;

that the executive department has sunk into impotency by a course of legislation which divests it almost of every power, and vests in new institutions and commissions, powers and duties properly appertaining to the governor and council of state; that the executive department ought to be and can be so constitutionalized by the legislature, as to answer all the requisite purposes of the government, without the creation of such corporations as aforesaid; and that if it

was so organized, the confidence and respect of the legislature, as well as the confidence & respect of the people would be secured to that department; and that in many cases it would aid in the diminution of the labors, and thereby shorten the sessions of the general assembly, and produce a considerable pecuniary and annual saving to the commonwealth.

Therefore, Resolved by the House of Delegates, That the committee of

be instructed to enquire,

1st. Into the expediency and policy of the abolition of the two corporations aforesaid, and of investing the governor and council of state with proper powers for the prosecution and accomplishment of the designated objects of the laws establishing the said corporations.

2d. In what cases the executive ought to relieve against fines, amercements, penalties and forfeitures.

3d. What compensation shall be allowed to the members of the executive.

4th. Whether the executive shall be

authorized to employ additional clerks,

and what compensation shall be allowed to the clerks in that department.

And that the said committee have leave

to report by bill or bills, or otherwise.

Resolved, That the President of the U.

ALEXANDRIA:
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1817.

JAMES P. PRESTON, Esq. was on Tuesday last re-elected Governor of Virginia, without opposition.

JOHN BRANCH, Esq. has been elected Governor of North-Carolina.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

WASHINGTON, Saturday, Dec. 6.

Little was done in the House of Representatives yesterday; but that little was important and interesting; for so I consider every thing that helps to lead to a development of the opinions and feelings of Congress on the subject of South America. Mr. Robertson, of Louisiana, rose and proposed a resolution to request the President to communicate to Congress "such information as he might possess and think proper to communicate relative to the independence and political condition of the provinces of Spanish America."

In support of that resolution, Mr. Robertson addressed the House in a speech strongly demonstrative of the ardor with which he entered into the interests of that gallant and oppressed people who are now struggling for emancipation from the yoke of Spanish despotism. What he said at the outset, I so indistinctly heard, owing to my distance from him, and the low tone of voice in which he spoke, that I could only guess at the general complexion of it. The scope, however, of his speech was this: That his sole object in offering the resolution was to obtain for the House information respecting facts connected with what was going forward in the Spanish provinces, and their actual situation, in order that the feelings and opinions of Congress might be directed by a correct knowledge of facts, and that their judgments might sanction the sentiments which their hearts so warmly approved. The information he wished for, was possibly in possession of the executive—for it was well known that respectable accredited agents had been sent to this country by several, if not all of the new governments, and it was certain that they were neither silent nor idle while they were here. Yet nothing communicated by them had yet transpired, either to the public or to Congress. He did not wish to urge a violation of our neutrality, nor did he propose any particular mode of conduct: He desired barely that this House and the people should be informed whether the Spanish provinces, or any of them, were independent, or were struggling for their independence—whether they governed themselves, or had been yet entirely reduced to submission. In the issue of the contest between the provinces and their tyrant, the whole world, he said, was interested—all the nations of Europe felt for them, and how much a stronger interest must not we have in their success, who are their neighbors—who, from similarity of conditions, must inevitably sympathise with them, and whose example they are endeavoring to imitate.

In reply, Mr. Forsyth said, that he was too well acquainted with the state of the public feeling on this subject to oppose the resolution; but his experience had taught him that enquiries some were useless and some dangerous. On the present occasion he had not the least objection to all being known that might safely be known; and he presumed that the President had already gone that length in the information he had given to Congress. Mr. F. submitted it to the consideration of the honorable mover, whether his resolution was not too comprehensive, and whether it ought not to be qualified with an exception of such information as the President might think it incompatible with the public interest to communicate. In this way he proposed that the resolution should be modified, without which modification he could not consent to vote for it. Mr. Robertson agreed to this; in consequence of which Mr. Robertson struck out the words "think proper to communicate," distinguished by Italics in the above resolution, and substituted "And which in the President's opinion may be communicated with safety." The resolution, therefore, as amended, ran thus:

Resolved, That the President of the U.

States be requested to lay before the H. of Representatives such information as he may possess, and which in his opinion may be communicated with safety.

And in this shape it passed without a dissentient voice.

From the N. Y. Evening Post, Dec. 4.

MARKETS AT LIVERPOOL.

To the politeness of a merchant in this city, we are indebted for the following circular.

Liverpool, 14th October, 1817.

The following are the most material alterations that have taken place in our market for American produce since our circular of the 6th ult. was transmitted to you.

The imports of ashes continue to be few, and there has been a fair demand for them for the last few days; but small as the stock is, the prices do not advance and will be lower towards the end of the year, when the imports from Canada are received.—New-York and Boston pot ashes now sell at 45 to 51s. Montreal 45 to 56s.—pearl ashes at 62s to 65s per cwt.

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For the last three weeks there has been a very limited demand for cotton, the sales in that period having only averaged 2700 bags per week; the prices have however remained tolerably steady, which is to be attributed to the excellent demand there is for cotton twist and goods—the smallness of the stock of cotton, and the almost total suspension of the imports occasioned in part by the prevalence of easterly winds. Upland cottons now sell at 19 1-2d to 22 1-2d; N. Orleans at 21d to 25 1d; good fair Charleston and Savannah Sea Islands at 2s 5d to 2s 6 1-2d; very fine at 2s 2d to 2s 10d and stained at 22d to 2s 2d per lb.

The stock of cottons of all descriptions in this port is computed to be about 50,000 bags, of which twenty thousand are supposed to be Uplands, 5000 New-Orleans, and 5000 Sea Islands. The sales for consumption from this port may be estimated at 5000 bags per week, and the imports for the remainder of the year are not likely to be equal to the consumption. Under those circumstances it is evident that the quantity of cotton heretofore grown, has not exceeded the demand and consumption for it, nor is it to be considered improbable that the consumption may be further increased: and the peace and restored confidence which now prevail in Europe, together with the moderate prices of provisions, are circumstances well calculated to carry to the greatest extent the taste which prevails for the consumption of cotton manufactures. We cannot however refrain from remarking, that the present ought to be considered as very high and dangerous prices, and that only two years ago, when the prospects were considered to be as far as they are now, and when Uplands were selling at the present prices, they declined before the end of the year to 15d to 17d per lb.

There has lately been a fair demand for turpentine, and as the stock of it is small, it has advanced to 16s to 18s per cwt. Tar is also in request, and now sells from 16s to 17s per barrel. Pitch and resin 8s per cwt. For rice there is a tolerable demand at 34s to 36s per cwt, and the stock in the market is very moderate. For flaxseed there is not at present any enquiry, and the price is nominally 68s to 70 shillings per hhd. Staves have been in very good demand of late: white oak barrel now sell at 12l to 14l. hhd. at 20l to 23l. pipe at 28l to 32l. and red oak hhd. at 9l to 10l per thousand. The demand for timber is also continued: common pine now selling at 2s 2d. hard wood at 3s oak at 3s to 3s 8d. and pitch pine at 2s 6d to 2s 8d per cubic foot.

There is at present some demand for the low qualities of tobacco for exportation, and also for some of the best qualities for home use; Virginia leaf now sells for 4 1-2 to 9d, stemmed at 8d to 9 1-2d; Georgia, Carolina and Kentucky, at 4d to 6d per lb. Maryland at 5d to 7d. fine yellow at 8d to 9d 1-2d per lb: and the stock of tobacco in the warehouse, on the 1st instant was 4644 bags.

Jersey Wagons, &c.

NICHOLAS BLASDELL & Co. have

received per schr Active, a variety

of Jersey Wagons, of excellent manu-

facture.

Also,

A few elegant Carriages—which will be

disposed of at the Chair Manufactory,

Fairfax-street, two doors south of Prince-

street, on reasonable terms.

CHAIRS, of all descriptions, con-

stantly on hand.

Dec. 5

THEATRE.

THE public are respectfully informed that the Theatre, having undergone considerable alterations and improvements, will open, &c. the season, on

THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 11.

The lower part of the house which has heretofore been considered inconvenient, has been made particularly attended to: it is now partitioned off into eight boxes, and will hereafter be under the same rules as in all regular Theatres, viz. The Box office will be open every day, where will remain a plan of the Boxes, which may be taken by a whole box, bench or individual sitting, provided the tickets are taken at the same time. The public will please to observe that an individual sitting cannot be taken on the front benches, nor can those seats be let, except with the number of tickets making the complement for the whole bench.

The Pit, for the future will be under the same regulations as the Boxes; and the Gallery, which has for several years been closed, will now be opened for the reception of people of color exclusively.

It is the wish of the Managers to establish the Theatre on a solid basis; to effect which, Rules and Regulations are essentially necessary; in their choice of them they have only the public feeling at heart, and they have confidence that in presenting to the citizens of Alexandria a regular and well governed Theatre, they will be crowned with that liberality and support which has been bestowed on anterior exertions.

It is most particularly requested that gentlemen will not smoke in the house; the practice within the walls of a Theatre is not only offensive, but dangerous.

It having been the practice of a number of ill disposed boys, who nightly infest the doors of the Theatre, not only to exercise unlawful means of admission, but, failing in their object, to make a riotous and outrageous noise, much to the discomfiture of the audience and interruption of the performance; the Managers give this timely notice to inform them, that officers will be stationed to future to observe them, who will, by their orders, take into custody the first who shall be found committing either of the above misdemeanors, and that they shall be dealt with according to law.

On the above evening will be presented Tobin's celebrated Comedy, in five acts, called

THE HONEY MOON.

Duke of Aranza, Mr. Caldwell
Count Montalban, Garner
(From the Theatres Boston, Albany, &c. his first appearance here.)

Rolando, Legg
(From the Theatres Philadelphia, Baltimore, &c. his first appearance here.)

Balthazar, Thomas
(From the Theatre New-York, his first appearance here.)

Lamado, Durang
(From the Theatres Charleston, Philadelphia, &c.)

Campillo, Emberton
Lopez, Emberton
Diego, Wynne
Jaquez, Entwistle

Jahana, Mrs. Entwistle
Volante, Durang
(From the Theatres Charleston, Philadelphia, &c.)

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